IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

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ROBERT WHARTON, :

: CIVIL ACTION

Petitioner,

:

v. : No. 01-6049

DONALD T. VAUGHN, et al., : CAPITAL CASE

:

Respondents.

NOTICE OF JOINT FILING OF PROPOSED ORDER

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the parties respectfully submit the accompanying proposed Order granting habeas corpus relief in part, as to the sentences of death, on the ground of counsel's ineffectiveness at the second penalty hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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